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TERRIBLE DISASTER

Thousands Killed and Injured. Millions in Property Destroyed by Wind

According to press dispatches the worst cyclone in history passed through the Middle West last Monday, killing and injuring thousands of people and wiping out of existence a great many prosperous towns, destroying millions of dollars worth of property. The storm swept on eastward. By some it was estimated that fully 10,000 people were either killed or injured in the middle west.

Passengers on a Burlington train which arrived in Chicago Monday night told a graphic story of how they sat fascinated in the coaches and saw a great dark cloud skipping fantastically about and working destruction on the Nebraska prairie.

Many times the train was abreast of or just behind the storm and stopped to pick up the wounded and dead, whom they took to Omaha.

Most thrilling was the story of the collapse of several small towns that stood in the path of the worst storm that has swept the Middle West in years. The passengers sat glued to their seats as a great funnel-shaped cloud swept onward leaving death and devastation in its wake.

RALSTON IS DEMOLISHED

The town of Ralston went down before the cyclone like a pack of cards. The train was just behind the storm at that time and the passengers could see house after house collapse as the death-dealing cloud swept through the streets. The train was stopped at the town and the passengers and crew aided in rescue work which took the lives of many inhabitants pinioned underneath the debris of their homes or in the wreckage of business houses. There were many others, however, who were beyond human aid.

At Benson conditions were even worse than at Ralston. The town was literally wiped from the face of the earth. Not a house or business block remained standing according to the passengers. The death list was appalling.

OMAHA IN RUINS

And when the train reached Omaha they found a city of desolation. Houses wrecked, business blocks shattered and public buildings converted into morgues, while tongues of flames were seen licking at the ruins of the wrecked buildings in half a hundred different places made a terrible scene. It was a fitting climax for the scenes of desolation and destruction that the travellers had looked upon throughout their journey across the great Nebraska prairie.

AN ELEGANT MACHINE

Those who wish to see an elegant typewriter, one that is perfect and up-to-date in every detail, with every modern improvement, should call at THE GUARDIAN office and inspect the new Fox machine. It is a beauty and worth every cent that it costs. It can be bought on easy terms, within the reach of all in need of a typewriter. It is the only machine built that is really visible from the beginning of your letter to the end, and has the lightest touch of any typewriter on the market.

FIFTH LYCEUM LECTURE

G. W. Boswell has an original and pleasing style of speaking that holds the interest of his audiences. He explains the Socialist movement in a sound, logical and forceful manner, using language that is of such simplicity and rugged strength that everyone understands and is impressed.

Brier's Hall, Safford, Arizona, April 2, 8 p. m.

KLONDYKE AND BACK

Tuesday evening E. W. Clayton, R. J. Young, Harry and Charlie Kirtland left Safford for Klondyke in Mr. Clayton's Overland to take some parts with which to repair Mr. Kirtland's Ford, which had been damaged a few days before. Mr. Young and Mr. Clayton returned to Safford at 3:00 o'clock Wednesday morning, the Kirtland boys returning in the afternoon with their car.

BACK FROM KLONDYKE

R. J. Young and George Zundle returned from Klondyke last Sunday, via Willcox. They had been in the Aravaipa country for about two weeks and it is said sold a life insurance policy to every cow puncher on that side of the mountain.

We wish to call your attention to the advertisement of The Gila Valley Furniture & Hardware Store shown on the fourth page of this issue.

FT. GTANT IS CHOSEN

Committee Recomends Grant for the Reform School, Jacobson Dessenting

The Fort Grant committee has made its report to the House which approved of Fort Grant as the location for the Benson reform school providing certain assignment of water rights can be secured. It now seems probable that the bill which has already passed the Senate will be put through the House during the week. The bill passed the House Wednesday, with an amendant.

Drennan became encouraged when Billy Graham's bill appropriating $7500 for an experimental artesian well in the Sulphur Springs valley of Cochise county, passed both Houses and received the governor's signature. Saturday he introduced a bill of his own, making appropriation for such a well in northern Yuma county, to be sunk in Cullen's wash, Harqua Hala wash, Granite wash or the Posos valley.

By a vote of twenty to fourteen the board of control bill, designed to shear the governor of his power to direct the purchase of state supplies was passed in the lower House Saturday afternoon.

The bill is to reorganize the board and have it consist of the governor, auditor and attorney general instead of the governor, auditor and one citizen member appointed by the governor, as at present. The attorney general is given $2500 a year for his services in that body.

On Tuesday the House bill number 1, relating to the hours for work of women was taken up and approved as was also the code measure dealing with interest charges. At the last moment the maximum interest charge was lowered to ten per cent and the measure was approved in that fashion. Much work outside of the committee room characterized the activities of the house during the day and night. All of the members would like to get back to their homes, though some are of the opinion that a special session is necessary for a completion of all the important work on hand.

"Appropriations" is the by-word in the senate these days. Its terrors are manifold to the various members of the upper house who fear, with some insight into the future, with the appropriation bill will meet with disaster some place on the road. Arizona is different from most states in the respect that an appropriation bill in the legislature of the state of Arizona can originate in either house. The appropriation bill now before the Arizona solons was introduced in the senate by Senator Roberts, chairman of the senate appropriations committee. It has been run over the measure does not meet with the approval of the appropriations committee of the house and that there will be trouble when the measure goes into the lower house.

ENTERTAINS

Miss Rosa Thorstensen charmingly entertained a few friends at her home on Thatcher Drive Wednesday evening.

Many interesting games were played during the evening. Miss Josephine Simon won first prize for the neatest dressed doll, and Miss Mildred Birdno won the prize for the best written advertisement.

Refreshments of nut ice cream, cake and candies were served.

Those present were: Misses Mildred and Blance Birdno, Della Owens and Josephine Simon; Messrs. E. H. Larson, Lee Kirby, A. H. Ferrin and Wiley Jones.

A COMING TREAT

Too much praise cannot be given the Woman's Club for engaging the Schubert Symphony Club and Lady Quartette of Chicago to appear here on April 3 at the Opera House. This company is in its 24 years of success, and is acknowledged everywhere to be the most "up-to-date" Musical Company traveling. Everybody likes music and everybody enjoys a hearty laugh. A delightful blending of pure fun and fine music is one reason why the above company has won its way to the top notch of public esteem.

Children are much more likely to contract the contagious diseases when they have colds. Whooping cough, diphtheria, scarlet fever and consumption are diseases that are often contracted when the child has a cold. That is why all medical authorities say beware of colds. For the quick cure of colds you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Safford Drug Co. 3-4t

Z. C. Prina went to Phoenix Tuesday morning.

FOR ADVISORY VOTE

Opponents of Sawtelle For Judicial Appointment Are Combining Against Him

A Phoenix, dispatch of March 24 says: Petitions are being circulated here, addressed to Governor Hunt, asking him to call a special election for an advisory vote for federal judge. The petitions have already received hundreds of signatures and so widespread has become the movement that two Democratic newspapers which were recently hushed by a committee when they advocated an advisory election have been forced to recognize public sentiment and are again advocating a popular choice for federal judge. They now propose to extend it to United States Marshall and United States Attorney. Petitions have been sent all over the state and it is reported that they are receiving many signers.

Although those who make politics a business concede that W. N. Sawtelle is certain of appointment as federal judge, George J. Stoneman, H. H. Howard, Wm. M. Seabury, J. J. Hawkins and other aspirants do not think so and are combining forces to beat the Tucson man. They charge him with having agreed to appoint a relative of Senator Ashurst as clerk to get the senator's support, with having agreed to appoint a Republican as clerk and with a dozen other imaginary offenses.

It is anything to beat the choice of the senators. There is a story going the rounds that Governor Hunt has telegraphed the president protesting against the frame-up by the senators for the selection of a federal judge and other federal officials. Hunt is said to be ambitious to succeed Mark Smith and anxious to discredit him by beating his candidacy for the federal bench.

None of the opponents of Judge Sawtelle are in favor of an advisory vote, but they are willing to resort to it if necessary to beat the Tucson man and to take the chance of a Republican being recommended to the president. Especially are Maricopa county Democrats up in arms because the senators, in parceling out the federal offices, did not pick a single man from the Salt River valley. They sent John Dunbar back to Washington to demand recognition for them and have all Republicans fired on March 5, but Dunbar returned empty-handed. They have banded together to break the slate of the senators and are ready to resort to fair means and foul to do so.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH

Preaching services every Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m.

Sunday School every Sunday at 10:00 a. m.

Woman's Home Missionary Society will meet at the parsonage every first and third Wednesday of each month at 2:30 p. m.

You will always find a welcome at any and all of the services of this church.

"We are journeying unto the place of which the Lord said: 'I will give it you: Come thou with us, and we will do thee good.'"—Num., 10, 29.

You are invited.

REV. BARKER NORTHRUP, Pastor.

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The Cause of Rheumatism

Stomach trouble, lazy liver and deranged kidneys are the cause of rheumatism. Get your stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels in healthy condition by taking Electric Bitters, and you will not be troubled with the pains of rheumatism. Charles B. Allen, a school principal, of Sylvania, Ga., who suffered indescribable tortue from rheumatism, liver and stomach trouble and diseased kidneys, writes: "All remedies failed until I used Electric Bitters, but four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me completely." Maybe your rheumatic pains come from stomach, liver and kidney troubles. Electric Bitters will give you prompt relief. 50c and $1.00. Recommended by Safford Drug Co. 3-4t

Registered Bull

I have a registered two-year-old Jersey Bull and will stand him for the season at my place in Safford. He was sired by Merry Maiden's Toltec, No. 83257; Dam, May's Brown Lassie No. 223194.

8-tf ARTHUR ELLIS.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has won its great reputation and extensive sale by its remarkable cures of coughs, colds and croup. It can be depended upon. Try it. Sold by Safford Drug Co. 3-4t

Call on us for your rugs, art squares and linoleums. We keep an up-to-date line at extra low prices.

Solomon Commercial Co. Furniture Store, Safford. 6-tf

ROBERTS IDENTIFIED

Photographs Identifid as those of the Murderer of Con Sullivan

The sheriffs office has received the photographs of the man confined in the Elko, Nevada, jail, who has confessed to the sheriff of Elko that he is Dave Roberts and that he murdered Con Sullivan.

The photographs have been positively identified as those of Roberts by reputable citizens, who have known him for years.

Roberts has told the sheriff that he is willing to return to Arizona without requisition papers, but the sheriff here had that experience once before and returned without his man, and does not propose to be caught napping again, therefore the matter has been taken up with the Governor and requisition papers requested. As soon as they arrive Sheriff Alger or one of his deputies will go after him.

Roberts is under two indictments in Nevada for robbery, but the Nevada authorities or willing to turn him over on the graver charge.

BURN FALLEN CITY

LONDON, Mar. 26.—After two days desperate fighting, Tohatalja has fallen into the hands of the Bulgarians.

MUSTAPHA PASHA, March 26.—The fortress of Adrianople was taken by storm by the Bulgarians this morning after fighting since Monday of the most terrible character. Flames are devastating the city and the maddened population whose nerves are shattered by the almost incessant bombardment for a period over five months, are fleeing about the streets.

The great artillery arsenal in the city is burning and the barracks and forts are in flames tonight.

The Bulgarians strong force gradually advanced their lines circling the city and by short rushes of infantrymen approached near enough to prepare for the final dash. The entire line of fortresses defending the eastern side of the city were captured by the Bulgarians after a most spectacular assault.

BEEN PLAYING "HOOKEY"

Gilpin Thompson, J. T. Owens and Sam Greenhaulgh have been playing "hookey" recently. They started to run away Wednesdad and got as far as Solomonville but returned at night. Yesterday morning they took a new start in the direction of Miami. Marshal Paxton heard of it, overtook them and put them in the lockup where he kept them for several hours. This is simply a warning to them that if they don't quit playing "hookey" they will find themselves before the Juvenile court at Solomonville and in a bad fix.

CANANEA CAPTURED

CANANEA, Sonora, Mexico, March 26.—The federal troops here have surrendered to the state troops and a conference is now being held to decide upon their disposal.

It is reported that the federals have been without food and water for thirty-six hours and that a large number of them are wounded and are being cared for tonight by the Red Cross society. Numbers of officers were killed and wounded.

FIRE IN ERA OFFICE

By phone message we learned that the Copper Era office in Clifton caught on fire yesterday morning but not very much damage was done, the fire being extinguished before getting very much headway.

TO CALIFORNIA

Miss Felicia Smith and Miss Margaret Woodman came up from Globe last Thursday and remained here till Saturday, the guests of Mrs. A. G. Smith. Both young ladies left for Los Angeles on Saturday.

ON A PICNIC

A. H. Ferrin, H. V. Watson, Miss Della Owens and Miss Josephine Simons picniced at the head waters of the Safford water works on Sunday.

WAS SCALDED

Miss Edna Wanslee was badly scalded about the head and face last Monday with boiling water.

Begin war on the fly NOW.

All kinds of poultry supplies for sale. Delivered free. Telephone or write. SMITH'S NURSERY. 47-tf

Master Willford Thompson has been quiet seriously ill for several days.

Remember the fly killing contest begins April 1st.

HEARINGS ARE LEGAL

Judge Shute Calls Jury to Appear for Duty on April 7th, in Globe

According to the Record notice to the jury to appear at the superior court room on the morning of April 7 was issued at court Monday by Judge Shute, in Globe. The court took this action in order that most of the lesser cases might be cleared up before Plennit Stokes appears on a charge of murder, April 14th.

A motion to dismiss the case of Nick Mitovich, charged with arsen, on the ground that the information was unlawful because Justice of the Peace McEachren was sitting illeagally at the time of the hearing was denied by Judge Shute. A motion of demurrer was overruled and trial set for April 7.

The demurrer of E. L. Taylor, who is held on three charges of embezzlement was overruled in each case. The defendant plead not guilty and trial was set for April 7. Edwin Osbourne, charged with aggravated assault, will also appear for trial in April. The case of Frank McCune, charged with burglary, has been set for same date. The trial of Martin Despot and Sam Wuicich, charged with burning a building to obtain the insurance, was set by Judge Shute to immediately follow the Plennic Stokes case, charged with murder, and to be called April 7.

A JOLLY PARTY

It was a jolly party that spent several hours in Duncan last Sunday. It consisted of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Frudenthal, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Robins and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Phillips, who had gone up a couple of days before, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Cornbleth, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Claridge, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stratton, S. Marcus, Ben Suarez and Mart Layton. This was a Ford car excursion, with five cars in the party. Then there were Mr. and Mrs. Thos Bell and Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Madsen in their Hupmobiles, and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Clayton and Mr. and Mrs. John J. Birdno, in Mr. Clayton's $4 Overland.

JUST FIFTEEN WERE THERE

A surprise party was given Tuesday evening, March 25th, at Myron Allred's bachelor home in Artesia, occasioned by the fact that My. is going to have his name rubbed off the "Old Bach List." Those present were: Misses Emma and Nora Allred, Alice and Zetta Higgins, Agnes Uptain, Viola Crochran, and Messrs. Aldo Allred, Buch Cash, Charles Angle, Alvin Uptain, Elmer and Frank Campbell, Karl and Ralph Higgins. Refreshments were served. Singing and games were the features of the evening.

MARRIED AT THATCHER

On March 14th, Mrs. Frances Robertson and Mr. Rolla West were married in Thatcher, Justice of the Peace D. D. Jones officiating. Mr. and Mrs. West will make their home in Safford, where they have resided for many years and are well known.

FOR SALE

Hydraulic well machine or churn drill combined, has been 1100 feet deep; 350-ft. steam drill, price, $350.

Eight-foot steel tower wind mill, 1200 gallon tank and tower, all connections; 1 H. P. air motor engine. Price, $100, or set up any place in valley for $150.

Any or all of this will be sold on terms to suit responsible parties.

Will drill a few wells, Part down, balance on time. Have large stock of pipe and pumps. 3 and 5 inch double action aermotor and red jacket pump stands; all brass cylinders.

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If you want to save money in buying your furniture, come and see us for quality and low prices.

Solomon Commercial Co. Furniture Store, Safford. 6-tf

It is reported that Mrs. Thomas Richards and two children are quite sick with the measles. The children of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Kempton are also sick with the same disease.

"Subscribe for your home paper first. Then take the El Paso Herald. The Southwest's greatest newspaper." 6 tf

The fly is literally not only as dangerous as a rattlesnake, but as disgraceful as a bed bug.

TACKLES BURGLAR

Mrs. Julia Pitt has Exciting Experience---Officers land Man in Jail

According to the Copper Era Mrs. Julia Pitt, proprietress of the Central Hotel, in Clifton, made a bold attempt to capture a burglar who was ransacking the rooms of the hotel on Sunday night last.

Mrs. Pitt, who has her room on the ground floor, was awakened late Sunday night by the noise of foot steps in the hallway on the second floor. She slipped out of her door and took up a position at the foot of the stairs leading to the second story. Within a few seconds a stranger came bounding down the stairway. Mrs. Pitt grabbed him by the coat lapels and demanded to know what he was doing in the house at that hour of the night.

"Someone has been burglarzing the rooms upstairs and I am going for an officer," was the reply.

"Yes, and you are the burglar," replied the proprietress.

With that she grappled with the stranger calling loudly for help. In the melee which followed Mrs. Pitt pitt was thrown to the floor and a toe on here left foot was broken. The intruder, after shaking himself loose from the woman, darted out the front door on the East Side and started across the bridge on a keen run.

Night Officers McCullough and Gid Thompson were standing near the depot, across the river, when they heard a woman scream for help.

Looking across on the East Side they saw the man dart out of the hotel, McCullough hurried to the bridge and was just in time to stop the man.

"Throw up your hands," commanded McCullough, "Where are you hurrying to at this time of the night?"

With a ready answer the running man replied.

"There's a burglar just twenty yards ahead of me, I am trying to catch him."

"There might be one just twenty yards behind you," was the laconic reply of the officer, "let's go back and see."

McCullough led his man back across the bridge and into the Central Hotel where Mrs. Pitt was waiting and who quickly identified the stranger as the man who had been up stairs. Needless to say the culprit was locked up.

CLUB MEETING

(Official Correspondence)

The regular meeting of the Woman's Club was held Friday afternoon at the school house.

After the business session the time was spent in discussing school problems. An interesting and instructive talk upon the school and its needs was given by Mr. W. R. Chambers, a member of the school board.

The club now boasts an enrollment of about fifty members, every woman in Safford and vicinity who has not added her name to the list should feel it her duty and privilege to do so at once, for the object of the club is civic betterment. There are no dues and every woman who is interested in making Safford a more sanitary and sightly town is urged to enroll.

The next meeting will be held April 4th, at the school house when the club will be addressed by Dr. McWhirt upon the subject of diseases prevalent among school children.

Come and bring your neighbor.

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Proposals for Constructing Cement Sidewalks

Office of the Town Council, of the town of Safford, Arizona, March 17, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the office of the Town Council at Safford, Arizona, up to 2 o'clock p. m. Monday, April 21, 1913 for the construction of Cement Concrete Sidewalks in the town of Safford, 580 feet in length and 8 feet wide, and 1,087 feet in length and 5 feet wide, contractor to furnish all material and labor, sidewalks to be constructed according to plans and specifications now on file in the office of the Town Engineer, where they are open for inspection.

Bids must be accompanied by a certified check for $200; to be returned upon rejection of bid, or upon execution and delivery of contract and bond for the performance of the undertaking.

The council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Each bid must be sealed and addressed to the Clerk of the Town Council, and plainly marked on face of envelope, "Bids for Construction of Sidewalks."

ROBERT MORRIS,
Superintendent of Streets.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Showing That They Had Neither Lied nor Stolen from Governor's Office

In an effort to bring to an end the undignified bickering and quarreling between the legislature and the governor, a final report was made to the House by the committee on state institutions.

The report addressed and submitted to the House of Representatives is as follows:

MR. SPEAKER:—Your committee on state institutions and expenditures having been severely arraigned for its report on the board of control, our motive misconstrued and the source of our information insinuated to be illegal, in simple justice to the House of Representatives of the State, of which we are the members, begs leave to submit the following in refuting the charges, direct and implied.

We secured our information from the board of control, from the secretary of the board under oath, the testimony of sworn witnesses before your committee, and documents in the archives of the state, demanded by us from state officers, and reports submitted to the House and referred to this committee. The above include all sources of information used by us and we have never seen any of the purported stolen documents.

Referring to the purchase made from the Old Dominion Commercial Company, of Globe, for the Globe-Ray highway convict camp, the governor says: "They were not authorized by the board of control, of which I am a member, nor made at my instance, direction or suggestion, direct or implied, as the officers making purchases can and will readily verify."

The purchases to date are represented by more than a dozen claims against the state, all similar, except as to numbers, dates and amounts, and in order not to burden this report, we will here simply submit a portion of the minutes of the board of control of a meeting held September 20, 1912, at which the governor was present.

"The following claims were examined and allowed for payment: For payment from the asylum fund as provided in chapter 79, section 8, laws 1912, special session, Old Dominion Commercial Company, bed spreads, $242. For payment from the prison fund, as provided in chapter 79, section 2, laws of 1912, special session, Globe Hardware Company, hardware, $702.97. Old Dominion Commercial Company, supplies, Globe-Ray, $99.34. W. H. Brookner, supplies, Globe-Ray, $110.35."

Referring further to these purchases his excellency says:

"I am informed by the purchasing officer that no favors were shown to any concern; that bids were exacted monthly, and exceptionally good prices secured, not only from the Old Dominion Commercial Company, but from all the mercantile establishments of Globe which were patronized."

This statement does not harmonize with the testimony of the secretary of the board of control given to your committee, during the course of which he testified that no bids were exacted for any of these purchases during the period made; nor does it harmonize with the records of claims approved by the board of control during the period, as to the question of no favorites shown, in support of which we submit the fact that supplies purchased from the Old Dominion Commercial Company amounted to three times as much as those from the Globe Hardware Company, and nine times as great as those purchased from W. W. Brookner Company of Globe.

Referring to the purchases made from the Old Dominion Commercial Company for the industrial school and the asylum, his excellency submits the following easy and complete explanation:

"The purchases were not made at my direction, but on the judgment of the superintendents concerned, and the goods were shipped direct to the institutions.

"Totally without my knowledge or consent—a statement susceptible of easy verification — the wholesale house, because of its objection to, or rule, common to many concerns, against having accounts except with established customers, billed the goods through the Old Dominion Commercial Company, and that company, ignorant of the offenses involved in being accommodating to the state, and unaware of the misfortune which attached to having me as a stockholder, permitted itself to be thus used; and then, not desiring to lose the money, made claims upon the state for the amount of the purchases."

Your committee desires to direct

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Patent mining notices, per inch (10 insertions)	$5 00
Articles of incorporation (6 insertions), per inch	3 00
Probate notices	15 00
Notice to creditors and similar notices from the Superior Court, per notice	7 50
Land proofs	10 00
Notice of forfeiture	15 00
Contest notice	15 00
All other legal advertising, per inch, each insertion	3 00

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PROFESSIONAL CARDS

$500 REWARD
PUBLIC NOTICE

We will pay $500 reward for arrest and conviction of any person or persons unlawfully killing or handling any cattle branded

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MARSHALL & FOSTER,
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The resignation of Assistant Secretary of State Wilson serves to illustrate the immediate necessity for getting rid of all other Republican barnacles that are even temporarily attacehd to the Democratic administration at Washington.—Times.

Although Gov. Hunt stoutly denied that he had committed an offense when he purchased supplies from his own store without advertising for bids, but if he had offended he would not hesitate to offend again and again, it would seem that most of the "snap" has been taken out of the statement by the axe committee for its last report says the Governor did not offend, and the Attorney General has served notice on him that he must not repeat it. The democrats of the state elected officials to obey the law and the present Attorney General has the back bone to see that they do so whether they want to or not.

Senate Bill No. 160 is one, should it become a law, that will settle the matter so that the people will have an opportunity of saying where they want their county seat. It provides that if a petition containing 30 per cent of the voters is presented to the Board an election must be ordered. As many towns as are able to get as many singers as 30 per cent of the voters may be placed on the ballot, but if the county seat is removed the town to which it is removed must have received a majority of all the votes cast. If no town receives a majority of all the votes cast, then another election shall be ordered and the two towns receiving the highest number of votes shall be only candidates on the ballot. The election shall be special unless there is a general election within four months of the date of filing the pentitions.

PLEDGES AND ACTIONS

When a man in private life pledges honor to respect a principle or policy and then refuses to do so—what then?

When a man in the business world violates a contract, fairly and honestly made—what then?

When a physician degrades the ethics of his profession and deliberately enters the arena of quackery—what then?

Contempt and disgrace—that's all.

But it seems that a certain class of politican can hold his right hand to heaven, in the presence of 15,000 splendid, God-fearing citizens, subscribe to a vow to carry out the written mandate of the citizenry at an indicated time, and when that time arrives, insolently casts vow and mandate into the gutters.

Is that which is unmoral in the business or professional man moral in the politician? Or is it that the little politician hold himself immune from fulfillment of sacred obligation solemnly made and as religiously binding on him as if taken in cathedral sanctuary?

This truism is always sound and unimpeachable:

No man ever succeeded in public life whose word to the people was not kept inviolate.

The Arizona Gazette says that the above catechization appears in the Rocky Mountain News and then adds: While it was intended as a personal application to one particular official in Colorado, it has a general application to a class of officials in every section who, through lapse of memory or from some other cause, overlook their political vows.

Then there is that other class, who in private life have reputations for perfect honesty, but when given official position, act upon the theory that a "public office is a private snap," and proceed to lay their fingers on everything in sight, or which can be brought to view for the purpose of annexation.

And if we are not grandly mistaken it will apply to a certain official in Arizona with equally as much force as to the Colorado official referred to.

The Prescott Courier remarks that over in Yuma county an effort is being made to have County School Superintendent J. M. Mess recalled because of his alleged attentions to a woman teacher to whom he is said to have written letters in English, French and Greek. It is common to hear of the man who got so mad that he swore in three different languages, but a man must be very much in love when he has to hunt three different languages for honey words to write his lady love, and while the procedure is irregular and not based on precedent it does not appear that it is quite bad enough to justify the use of the recall.

Quite a stir has been kicked up in England because Sec. Bryan let off a little Irish steam on St. Patrick's day, which induced the El Paso Times to remark:

Our English friends are trying to get their backs up over some St. Patrick's day remarks made by Secretary of State Bryan, and if our English friends are laboring under the impression that this new and representative American administration is going to crawl on its belly to the English influence, as was the case with some of its predecessors, it is going to be most gloriously fooled. Our English friends should not squirm when they are reminded of some of their past rascality.

Suppose we consider our public schools as agencies which shall determine the destiny of our country, for that is precisely what they are. When viewed in that aspect, they immediately become the bulwarks of liberty, and no true patriot can then deny them the moral and financial support needed to make them efficient.

Best for Skin Diseases

Nearly every skin disease yields quickly and permanently to Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and nothing is better for burns or bruises. Soothes and heals. John Deye, of Gladwin, Mich., says, after suffering twelve years with skin ailment and spending $400 in doctors' bills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. It will help you. Only 25c. Recommended by Safford Drug Co. 3-4t

Continued from March 14, 1913

IF THIS IS LOVE

(Written for the Guardian)

One stanza each inscribed to my three nieces, Grace Triernan, Althea Gladys, and Johnnie Lucille Stephen.

If this is love:
To watch and wait each ling'ring year;
At beauty's gate when she was near,
And feel each tingling heart throb beat,
At the footfalls of her fairy feet;
When seemed your soul as if out of your keeping,
And wandering through dream-land as if sleeping;
With visions of life full fair and bright;
Shining with brillance from lovelight,
Which filled the heart with radiance rare;
From the image imprinted there;
Then I have felt the throb.

If this is love:
To wait and long, but long in vain;
Like a desert, for refreshing rain
With pent-up images of youth's whole being
As mirages from your vision ever fleeing;
And feel the thirst unsatisfied,
While she was away from your side,
While seeme'd your soul as if afire
Which thoughts of her did full inspire
To wander aimless over the earth
With heart and soul in a dreary dearth,
Then I have felt the thirst.

If this is love:
To feel each ardent pang and smart,
As a shaft sent through the wounded heart;
And throughout the night and weary hour
Grieve at the shrine of love's bright bower;
While she lay dead with nature sleeping;
Who held my soul in thrall akeeping;
And to drift through life on ev'ry tide,
Amidst all scenes unsatisfied;
To scorn ambition's lofty power,
As a mocking dream of the fleeting hour;
Then I have known what is love.

—WM. E. STEPHEN.

Safford, Arizona, March 17, 1913.

A PROPER REWARD

Press dispatches say that Arizona's senators have agreed to recommend Col. Tom Weedin, editor of The Florence Blade-Tribune, for register of the United States land office, and John J. Birdno, editor of the Safford GUARDIAN, as receiver. Smith and Ashurst are showing good political judgment in taking care of these Democratic editors. Both have done yeoman's service in the party for years and both are entitled to a share of the spoils now that the victory has been won. They will make competent officials and will be satisfactory to the public.—Tucson Daily Citizen.

Cash For Poultry

Will pay cash for all your poultry at any time. If you have hogs or beeves for sale see me, I am in a position to buy them.

H. C. WHITE, Safford. 50 tf

For Rent

Four room houses all with water in them also front and back porches.

41-tf B. F. FOSTER.

Many sufferers from rheumatism have been surprised and delighted with the prompt relief afforded by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. Not one case of rheumatism in ten requires any internal treatment whatever. This liniment is for sale by Safford Drug Co. 8 4t

For Sale

Eggs for hatching from Barred Plamouth Rocks and Indian Runner Ducks. DAVE RIDGWAY. 52-tf

You can say goodbye to constipation with a clear conscience if you use Chamberlain's Tablets. Many have been permanently cured by their use. For sale by Safford Drug Co. 3-4t.

Legal Blanks

Location notices, notes and other legal blanks at the Best Drug Store, Safford.

2-tf ED. BRANCH.

Burial caskets carried in stock by The Gila Valley Furniture and Hardware Store. tf

COMMITTEE REPORT

Showing That They Had Neither Lied nor Stolen from Governor's Office

(Continued from page one)

the attention of "these members of the legislature who may wish to be correctly informed," to the fact that while the Old Dominion Commercial Company was so obligingly accommodating the state and the eastern wholesaler, it incidentally did not fail to accommodate the Old Dominion Commercial Company to the amount of ten per cent of the purchase to say nothing of the cash account, as the following copy of invoice and specimen claims will show:

"Geo. W. P. Hunt, president and secretary; M. C. Kenton, treasurer; J. Suter, vice president; A. T. Hammons, cashier.

"Globe, Arizona, July, 1912.

"Arizona Insane Asylum.

"Bought of the Old Dominion Commercial Company, Bankers and Merchants, 12 spreads, $220.00; plus 10 per cent, $22.00.—$242.00."

Copy of claim:

"Claim against the state of Arizona: Globe, Arizona, October 1, 1912. Old Dominion Commercial Company presents this claim on the asylum for the insane fund for the sum of Two hundred Forty-two and no 100 Dollars, for account of supplies as per items hereto annexed. To 200 institution spreads (bed) $242.00.

"Note: Claim must be itemized with dates attached. Attach to this claim all original invoices and vouchers. Claim must be verified. If a firm or corporation is claimant, the claim must be sworn to by a member of the firm or an officer or agent of the corporation, his signature and title being written on the first blank line (1) and the name of the firm or corporation on the second blank line (2).

"State of Arizona, County of Gila, ss.—I do solemnly swear that the accompanying is a correct and just statement of account against the state of Arizona; that the work and labor therein have been performed; that the services stated therein have been rendered; that the expenses set forth therein have been incurred; that the goods, wares and merchandise charged for therein have been furnished and delivered, at the time and as the same appear in said statement and the specified values thereof are the true values thereof, and that the same has not been paid nor any part thereof, and that no claim against the state has before been made therefor.

(1) Old Dominion Commercial Co.
(2) C. B. Y. Hind, Asst. Cashier.
(SEAL)

"Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of September.

"My commission expires Dec. 14, 1914.

"A. T. STEWART,
"Notary Public, State of Arizona, Gila County."

Copy of Brief:

"Original Claim No. 13, Asylum for the Insane Fund. Presented for $242 00, by Old Dominion Commercial Co., Account of bed spreads. Date Oct. 1, 1912. Assigned to—— Checked. J. J. Lowe, Steward. Filed 2 M."

Approved and allowed for $242.00.
J. M. P.
BOARD OF CONTROL.
By Chas. H. Osborn, Secretary of the Board of Control.

Office of the Auditor.
Phoenix, Arizona.
Oct. 14, 1912.
Paid in amount ½ ½ $242.00
By asylum for the insane fund warrant No. 633.

In regard to purchasing without bids, the governor in his message to the House says: "And I take pleasure in stating that in the absence of a specific prohibition of law, the practice will be continued, regardless of the interests that may hold it objectionable." Inasmuch as the attorney general of the state has advised the board of control that this must no longer be the practice and has further instructed the auditor not to pay any doubtful claims, but to refer them to him for adjudication, we believe that this practice will be discontinued.

In reference to the certified copy of the report made by the secretary of the board of control in regard to the conditions at the industrial school, we have only to say that it was given to us by no other person than the secretary himself. The governor is mistaken when he says "it was a confidential report of which there was no authorized or legitimate copy in existence save the one in my own possession." We also demanded a copy of a report made by the secretary of the board of control in regard to conditions at the prison, but it was not given to us, and we later demanded a copy from the governor, but it was refused on the grounds that it was a private communication. We cannot see how a report on a state institution, made by one state official to another state official, at the state's expense, can be a private communication.

Your committee desires to say in closing this report that it has had no desire to destroy the harmony that should exist between the executive and the legislative branches of our state governmet, but as these matters came to our attention, it was our plain duty to present them to the House and, if possible, to correct them. For that purpose we introduced House Bill No. 65, known as the board of control bill, and believe that the enactment of this bill as a law will result in a harmony of those state officers who should correlate in every way for the benefit and welfare of the people of this state.

We do not believe there was any criminal intent in the purchases nor in the mismanagement of the state institutions, nor do we question the motives of any of the members of the board, but as the attorney general has well said in his letter of instructions to the board, "a law is a law, and no board or state officer is above the law."

Respectfully submitted,
ALEXANDER BARKER,
Chairman.
GEO. D. CRAIG,
THOS. MADDOCK,
M. H. KANE,
LEON S. JACOBS.

Whole Family Benefited By Wonderful Remedy

There are many little things to annoy us, under present conditions of life. The hurry, hard work, noise and strain all tell on us and tend to provoke nervousness and irritability.. We are frequently so worn out we can neither eat, sleep nor work with any comfort. We are out of line with ourselves and others as well.

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"I have on several occasions been vastly relieved by the use of your medicines, especially the Anti-Pain Pills, which I keep constantly on hand for the use of myself, husband and two sons. Nothing in the world equals them as a headache remedy. Often I am enabled by the use of one or two of the Pills to continue my housework when otherwise I would be in bed. My husband joins me in my praise of the Anti-Pain Pills and Nervine."

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OVER 95 PER CENT

of the business of this country is done by Bank check instead of handling the money, because it is the safest and most convenient way of doing business. There is no reason why 99 per cent should not be done in this way.

The few people who are not using the conveniences offered by a Bank such as this, are placing themselves in the same class as the ones who are still binding their grain by hand.

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SAFFORD, ARIZONA

NEWS OF ST. DAVID AND BENSON

A farewell party was given in honor of ex-Bishop Crozier Kimball and family who, leave in the near future, for Utah, where they will make their home. They will make a visit through the Gila valley en route.

The many friends of Mrs. Margrette Goodman will be glad to note her steady improvement.

Mrs. Lizzie Merrill has been suffering with erysipelas in the face, but is better now.

The great moving picture show, "100 Years of Mormonism," was a great success in Benson March 10.

Powell Cosby has a boy at his home and everybody knows it. Mother and son doing fine.

The many nice showers that have visited the valley of late put every thing in a prosperous condition.

Powell Cosby has secured a position as teacher in the State Industrial school at Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Merrill, Sr., just returned from a trip to Phoenix and Mesa, where they have been visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Heb. Peterson, of Miami, is here visiting her father and sisters.

The Relief Society of St. David occupied Sunday afternoon rendering a program suitable for the occassion, the anniversary of the Relief Society. Everybody that attended felt well payed for doing so.

St. David basket ball team played the Benson team with results of 14 to 7 in favor of the Industrial school.

Joseph McRae who has been visiting his children here and at Bisbee is returning to the Gila valley.

DOG OWNERS LOOK OUT

There are a number of motorcycles in the valley and men are riding them all the time. There are also a number of vicious dogs. These dogs take great delight in trying to pull the cyclist from his machine, and if he should succeed it would, in all probability, kill the man riding the machine, which would make the owner of the dog responsible for his death. We would advise the owners of this class of dogs to get rid of them before serious trouble occurs.

GLOBE MAN HERE

N. L. Naquin, the Globe auto man, has been in the valley for a week, except for the time he spent in going to Bonita and selling Miles Woods a delivery auto to carry the mail, express and passengers from Willcox to Klondyke.

All kinds of furniture repaired at Aarhus Ellis' residence, Safford.

VICE PRES. AND SUPT. HERE

Major Charles Hine, of Tucson, Vice President of the Arizona Eastern and Southern Pacific railroads of Mexico, and C. C. Mallard, of Globe, Superintendent of the Arizona Eastern, spent last Friday in Safford.

Mr. Mallard informed us that among the improvements being made by his road is the beautifying of all depot grounds along the line, in the way of planting lawns, trees and shrubs. A large number of ornamental trees have been bought of Smith's Nursery.

BACK FROM CALIFORNIA

G. W. Healey returned from an extended trip in California last Thursday. Mr. Healy reports that there is a large influx of people into Arizona from California and other western states, but that most of them are in search of cheap unimproved land and are therefore going to the Casa Grande, Sulphur Springs and San Simon valleys.

TO MIAMI

Mrs. W. B. Welker moved to Miami this week, where Mr. Welker is in business. Mr. and Mrs. Spruill, recent arrivals from Texas, have leased the Welker home in Layton and have moved in.

ANOTHER CAR LOAD

Z. C. Prina and B. F. Thum received another car load of the Mighty Michigan automobiles in Safford on Monday. This is the third car load they have shipped and they seem to sell as fast as they arrive.

VISITING IN SAFFORD

Mrs. Rush and her two children were visitors in Safford last Saturday from Globe, the guests of Mrs. Brooking.

FOR MAY DELIVERY

The cattlemen in and around Fort Thomas have contracted all their steers to be delivered on board cars at Geronimo on May 20th.

Best Known Cough Remedy

For forty-three years Dr. King's New Discovery has been known throughout the world as the most reliable cough remedy. Over three million bottles were used last year. Isn't this proof? It will get rid of your cough, or we will refund your money. J. J. Owens, of Allendale, S. C., writes the way bundreds of others have done: "After twenty years, I find that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best remedy for coughs and colds that I have ever used." For coughs and colds and all throat and lung troubles, it has no equal. 50c and $1.00 at Safford Drug Co. 3 4t

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Free Water *for* Irrigation Own your own irrigation system and be independent. Insure your crops by having plenty of water at all times. Use all the water you want as often as you want it. Drill your own wells on your own land and secure plenty of water free of charge all the time. The famous Howell Well-Drilling Machines are made in all sizes suitable for drilling any size well to any depth. You can also make big money drilling wells for your neighbors. The demand for wells is far greater than can be supplied by the machines now at work. Write today for our big free catalogue "A."

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MAIN OFFICE AND WORKS: MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

The Siege of the Seven Suitors

By

MEREDITH NICHOLSON

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It was a kind fate indeed that had led me back to the Asolando, and introduced me to the aunt of Wiggins' inamorata. It may well be believed that I was immediately interested attentive, absorbed. As she smoothed her gloves, Miss Hollister continued to speak in a low musical voice that was devoid of any of the quavers of age.

"On the day I reached my sixtieth year, Mr. Ames, I decided that my humdrum life must cease. The strictest conventions had guided me from earliest childhood. My experience of life had been limited to those things which women of education and means enjoy—or suffer, as you please to take it. Two years ago I chartered a yacht and cruised among the Lesser Antilles, enjoying many adventures. Later I crossed the Andes, and I have just returned from Switzerland, where I accomplished some of the most difficult ascents. I have a clipping bureau engaged to inform me of all rumors of hidden treasure and sunken ships, and I hope that of this something may come, as I retain a marine engineer and corps of divers and can leave at an hour's notice for any likely hunting ground. This may strike you as the most whimsical self indulgence. Tell me candidly whether my remarks so affect you."

"If it were not that your benefactions of all kinds have given you noble eminence among American philanthropists I might be less biased in favor of the sort of thing you describe, but your gifts to orphanages, colleges, hospitals"—

"Ah!" she interrupted, "enough of that. Philanthropy in these times is only selfish exploitation, the recreation of the conscience stricken. But you see no reason why," she pursued eagerly, "if I wished to dig up the Caribbean sea in search of Spanish doubloons, I should not do so? Answer me frankly, without the slightest fear."

"I assure you, Miss Hollister, that such projects appeal to me strongly. I have often lamented that my own lot fell in these eventless times. As an architect I proved something of a failure; as a chimney doctor I lead a useful life, but the very usefulness of it bores me, and besides many people take me for a sweep."

"I dare say they do, for unfortunately many people are fools. But I am bent upon adventure. My physician pronounces me good for ten years more of active life, and I intend to keep amused. If I were a young man like you I should crawl through chimneys no more, but take to the open road. I resent the harsh clang of these meaningless years. As I walked among the hills that lie behind the manor this morning I heard the bugles calling. I should like to ask you further as to your unusual profession, but errands summon me elsewhere. However, something tells me we shall meet again."

She rose in her swift, birdlike fashion and passed lightly down the room and through the door. She had left a dollar beside her plate to pay her check, which I noted called for only 40 cents. I glanced at the cashier's desk. The aureoled head had not reappeared, but immediately I heard a voice murmuring beside me. I had believed myself alone, and in my surprise I thought some wizardry had made audible one of the verses on the wall.

What of Rafael's sonnets, Dante's picture—

It was she whose aureoled head—I had marked earlier in the receipt of custom, the girl who had vanished as Miss Hollister appeared. She was not tall, and her eyes, I saw, were brown. She had clearly not climbed far the stairway of her years, but her serenity was the least bit disconcerting.

"Pardon me," I began, "but I am an ignorant Philistine, and cannot cap the verse you have quoted."

"There is no reason why you should do so. It is the rule of the Asolando that we shall attract the attention of

"The Asolando is denied to outsiders."

customers when necessary by speaking of a line of verse. We are not allowed to open a conversation, no matter how imperative, with 'Listen,' or the even more vulgar 'Say!'

"A capital idea, of which I heartily approve, but now that I am a waiting auditor, eager—"

"It's merely the check, if you please," she interrupted coldly. "My desk is closed, and the room will refuse further patrons for the next hour, as the executive committee of the Shelley society meets here at 4 o'clock, and the Asolando is denied to outsiders."

"This, then, is my dismissal? The lady who joined me here for a time left a dollar, which, you will see, is somewhat in excess of her check. My own charge of 50 cents is so moderate that I cannot do less than leave $1 also."

"Thank you," she replied, unshaken by my generosity. "The tips at the Asolando all go to the Sweetness and Light club, which is just now engaged in circulating Matthew Arnold's poems in leaflet form in the jobbing district."

I bowed and had turned away when she arrested me with the line—

My good blade carves the casques of men.

I turned toward her. "Permit me to inquire," she asked, "whether the lady who joined you here expressed any interest in the life beautiful as it is exemplified in the Asolando?"

"I am constrained to say that she did not. She spoke of the Asolando in the most contumelious terms."

The golden head bowed slightly, and a smile hovered about her lips. But her amusement at my answer was more eloquently stated in her eyes.

"I must explain that my sole excuse for addressing you is that we are required to learn, where possible, just why strangers seek the Asolando."

"In the case of the lady to whom you refer it was a matter of this being the seventh shop from the corner, and my own appearance was due to the idlest curiosity, inspired by enthusiastic descriptions of the Asolando's atmosphere and rumors of the cheapness of its food."

"The reasons are quite ample," was her only comment, and her manner did not encourage further conversation.

"May I ask," I persisted, "whether the Asolando's staff is permanent and whether, if I return another day"—

"I take it that you do not mean to be impertinent, so I will answer that my service here is limited to Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. On the other days Pippa is in the cash booth. My name at the Asolando is Francesca. Kindly write your name in the visitors' book at the door as you pass out."

There was no ignoring this hint. I thought she smiled as I left her.

(To be Continued)

SAINT JOSEPH STAKE NEWS

Home Mission Appointments for April

Layton—J. T. Brown and LeRoi C. Snow.

Thatcher—James T. Talley and W. W. McDonald.

Central—E. S. Carpenter and L. R. Pace.

Pima—T. S. Kimball and Nephi L. Smith.

Matthews—Geo. J. Hatch and Ed. T. Lofgreen.

Emery—A. C. Peterson and Richmond Ison.

Eden—Austin Evans and Morris Mickelsen.

Bryce—John Bilby and Martin Mortensen, Jr.

Hubbard—Geo. H. Crosby, Jr., and Wm. L. Nelson.

Graham—George Foote and Martin Kempton.

Artesia—Oscar G. Layton and David Lee.

Lehanon—Joseph H. Lines and H. J. Anderson.

High Council meeting April 20 at 10 a. m.

Stake Officer's preparation meeting April 20, at 2 p. m.

Stake Priesthood meeting April 20th.

For Sale

Here is a chance for an active man who wants to make money. The present owners have decided to retire from business, and will sell their dairy, which is a good paying business, consisting 120 cows, 3 milk wagons, 6 horses, cans and bottles in fact everything necessary for a first class dairy, and all buildings on ground where dairy is located, at Globe. Apply to H. J. Anderson, Pima or I. B. Blake, box 784, Globe. 3-6t

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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Notice to Co-owners

Notice is hereby given to John R. Patterson, who is co-owner in Green Mountain mining claim No. 1, and in Green Mountain mining claim No. 2 that T. N. Lamb and E. D. Beck, co-owners in said claims with John R. Patterson, have performed the annual assessment work upon said claims, Green Mountain No. 1 and Green Mountain No. 2, both in Cottonwood Mining District, Graham County, Arizona, for the year 1912.

The said T. N. Lamb and E. D. Beck have expended for work and labor upon each of said claims for the year 1912 the sum of $100.00; that labor to the amount of $100.00 was done upon each of said claims and $200.00 expended for work and labor upon the two. That John R. Patterson has not paid or contributed anything in work or labor or money for the assessment work on either of said claims for the year 1912.

T. N. LAMB,
E. D. BECK.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Serial No. 09480

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, March 19, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that John W. Cline, of Safford, Arizona, who, on March 21, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 09480, for SE¼, Section 35, Township 7 S, Range 25 E. G. & S R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, Clerk of Superior Court, at Solomonville, Arizona, on the 30th day of April, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses:

J. L. Freeman, Melvin Montierth, Leroy Freestone, Ralph Crandall, all of Safford, Arizona.

Frank H. Parker, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Serial No. 09542

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, March 19, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that James E. Jones, of Fort Thomas, Arizona, who, on March 28th, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 09542, for SE ¼ NE ¼ (Lot 7 and Lot 1) Section 27, Township 4 S, Range 23 E.G. & S R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, Clerk of Superior Court, at Solomonville, Arizona, on the 29th, day of April, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Marion P. McEuen, Edward W. McEuen, Joseph Elmer, Joseph Ballard, all of Ft. Thomas, Arizona.

Frank H. Parker, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Serial No. 05138

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, March 19, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that Willard A. Pitt, of Ft. Thomas, Arizona, who, on March 5th, 1909, made Desert Land Entry, No. 05138, for SW ¼, Section 24, Township 5 S, Range 23 E.G. & S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Desert Land proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, Clerk of Superior Court, at Solomonville, Arizona, on the 29th, day of April, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Thomas E. Moody, of Ft. Thomas, Arizona, Ammi J. Curtis, of Fairview, Arizona, George A. Mathews, of Fairview, Arizona, Joseph Roseberry, of Pima, Arizona.

Frank H. Parker, Register.

Notice to Creditors

Estate of Elizabeth Hawkins, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Hawkins, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice to the said William W. Hawkins, administrator, at Eden, Graham county, Arizona, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said county of Graham.

Wm. W. Hawkins,
Administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Hawkins, deceased.

Dated this 27th day of February, A. D. 1913. 3-4t

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ELECTION NOTICE

An election of the property tax payers who are otherwise qualified electors of School District Number 4 of Graham county Arizona, is hereby called to be held between the hours of 6 o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m. in the north school house of said district on Saturday, the 12th day of April, 1913, to determine whether or not the Board of Supervisors of this county shall issue the bonds of said district for the sum of $10,000.00. It is proposed to issue said bonds to be ten in number and each bond to be for the sum of $1,000.00; and for the said bonds to run for a term as follows, to-wit: Numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 of said bonds to run for a period of not less than ten years nor more than twenty years and numbers 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 of said bonds to run for a period of fifteen years nor more than twenty years, and that all of said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the date of sale until redeemed, interest payable annually at the end of each year after date of sale.

The purpose of the money derived from said bonds to be as follows, to-wit:

For the building and furnishing of one school building, $8,300.00.

For paying the running expenses of the school of said district for the seventh and eighth months of the years 1912 and 1913, $1,700.00.

And it is hereby further ordered that a copy of the notices calling such election shall be published in The Graham Guardian on the 7th, 14th, 21d and 28th days of March and the 4th and 11th days of April, 1913; and that at least five copies of said notice calling such election shall be posted in the most public places in said school district Number 4.

By order of the Board of Supervisors.

Phil C. Merrill,
Chairman.

D. H. Claridge, Clerk.

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GRAHAM CO. NEWS

Items of Interest Gathered by the Guardian's Correspondents

THATCHER

Mrs. Myrtle Selene, of Pima, was a Sunday visitor with relatives in Thatcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Ropal Freestone were the guests of Mrs. Skaggs on Sunday.

Quite a number of Thatcher people are preparing to leave for Utah on Saturday.

Mrs. Sarah Hunt has been ill for the past week but is at her post in the store again.

Mrs. Marshall of Eden spent Sunday visiting with friends and relatives in Thatcher.

Mrs. Romney, of Safford, spent Sunday visiting with Mrs. W. W. Pace of Thatcher.

Mrs. Mina Watson, of Central, is spending the week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Blaine.

Hazel Green entertained a number of young friends at an Easter social on Saturday evening.

D. D. Jones has purchased a lot directly South of the Academy and is preparing to build a substantial new home there.

J. N. Heywood returned to Los Angeles on Tuesday after spending a week looking after business in Thatcher.

A crowd of Thatcher young people went up the Chlarson canyon for an Easter picnic on Saturday. They spent a most delightful day.

George H. Crosby, Jr., came down on Sunday evening and gave a special lecture before the young men's class at M. I. A. on Sunday evening.

"The Man from Nevada," was played at the amusement hall on Saturday evening by the Eden troupe. They players did well for amateurs.

Dr. Meserve, of the State University gave a most interesting and instructive lecture to the students at the Academy on Thursday, his subject being "Pure Food."

Special Easter Services were held in the church on Sunday afternoon. A large choir rendered some beautiful Easter Anthems. A. C. Peterson and D. D. Jones were the speakers.

Jesse Phillips greatly surprised his friends by bringing home a new bride on Monday evening. The surprise was so great that the town hasn't yet thought to ask who she is and from whence she came.

Miss Chloe Curtis entertained at her home on Thursday evening in honor of the members of her class who graduated at the district school in 1910. They had games, program and refreshments and enjoyed a merry time.

The relatives of Seth Hoopes gave him a farewell social at the home of George Hoopes on Wednesday evening. It proved to be a delightful informal family gathering and one long to be rembered by those present. Mr. Hoopes leaves soon for his mission.

PIMA

G. B. Maloy made a short business trip to Clifton last week.

Marion Taylor is here from Mesa for a short visit with his mother.

Alice Haws came up from Globe Saturday to visit friends and relatives.

Archie Cluff has returned from a two years' mission in the Northern States.

Mrs. Addie Lambert has gone to Miami to spend a week visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Ethel Davis has been quite sick the past few days, but we are glad to note she is now convalcsing.

There a few cases of measles in town, all of which are quarantined in such a manner as to prevent its spreading.

Ether Ferrin and Wallace Taylor left Thursday morning for Salt Lake City. From there they go to do missionary work.

Miss Elsie McBride entertained the young people of this place last Saturday evening, in honor of Ether Ferrin, who leaves for Salt Lake Thursday.

A LOST HEIR

There has come to the notice of the people in Arizona who are reached by human stories, a tale of more than common interest. Mr. Robert S. Fisher, attorney, of Phoenix, has been notified of the death of a Mrs. Martine. She died very suddenly in Los Angeles, leaving a considerable amount of property to her only heir, a son, Albert H. Martine. Although diligent search has been made, this son has not been found. The last heard of him he was working in a mine, somewhere in Arizona, and there is a rumor that he was injured or killed. Inasmuch as the adminstrator of the estate has the fund intact and is waiting the appearance of the heir if he is alive, it is but a humanitarian act, which no doubt anyone would be glad to perform, to notify those concerned of the whereabouts of Albert H. Martine. Anyone having information will confer a great favor upon him if alive and upon those who are endeavoring to dispose of the property of the dead woman in California. Any word sent to Stuckmeyer & Fisher, attorneys at law, Phoenix, Arizona, will be gratefully received by them on behalf of those interested.

Consider your health, consider those germs on the flies. A model fly trap can be found at the school house. Build a fly trap for your children to enter the contest. Notice the fly traps, merchants are using them. Have you made a fly trap?

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RESOLUTION NO. 4

A Resolution of the Common Council of the Town of Safford, Graham County, State of Arizona, ordering the improvement made as described in and by a Resolution of Intention passed by the said Common Council on the 23th day of November, 1912, and numbered 3.

Be it resolved by the Common Council of the Town of Safford, Arizona.

SECTION 1.

That the improvements described in the Resolution of Intention numbered 3, and passed by the Common Council on the 23d day of November, 1912, of the construction and building of certain sidewalks and curbs along and fronting on M street on the east side of Lots 11 and 12, and the front of Lots 13 and 14, in Block 39; also on east side of Lots 11 and 12 and front of Lot 13, all in Block 46; said Lots and Blocks being in the town of Safford, Arizona; also in front of Lots 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92 and 93 in Block C and Lots 94, 96, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107 and 107a in Block I, Lassator's Addition to the Townsite of Safford, as shown on the map of Lassator's Addition to the Townsite of Safford, filed in the County Recorder's office of Graham County, Arizona, July 19, 1900, also in front of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 in Block 1, Montclair Addition to the Townsite of Safford, all within the corporate limits of the Town of Safford, be and the same is hereby ordered to be made, built and constructed under and by virtue of an Act of the Legislature of the State of Arizona, known and designated as the "Improvement Act of 1912," approved May 17, 1912.

Said improvement to be constructed of cement concrete in accordance with the provisions of the above-mentioned Resolution of Intention, and the prepared plans and specifications now on file in the office of the Town Engineer of the said Town of Safford, to which reference is hereby made.

SECTION 2.

That the Superintendent of Streets of said Town of Safford, is hereby authorized and directed to publish a notice in The Graham Guardian, a weekly newspaper published and circulated in said Town of Safford, for three successive issues, asking and inviting sealed proposals or bids, for the construction and building of the improvements herein ordered, stating therein the time within which the said proposals or bids may be filed with the Town Clerk, which shall not be less than ten days from the date of the first publication of the said notice, and shall also post a copy of said notice on or near the door of the Council chamber of the said Town Council, in a conspicuous place for not less than five days.

Submitted and passed by the Town Council of the Town of Safford on this 17th day of March, 1913.

Z. C. PRINA,
Mayor.

Attest:
C. W. B. LINK,
Town Clerk.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing Resolution No. 4 was duly passed by the Common Council of the Town of Safford, at a meeting held on the 17th day of March, 1913.

C. W. B. LINK,
Town Clerk.

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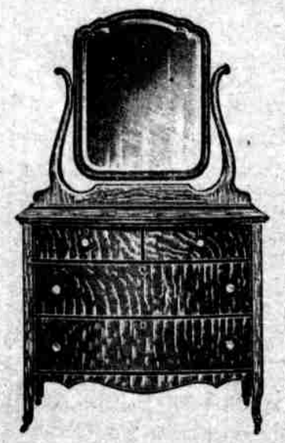

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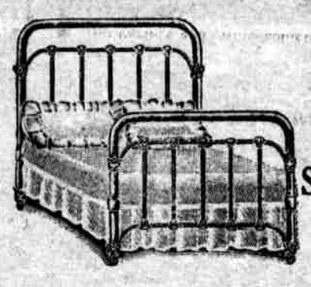

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Superior Court Notice

In the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

In the matter of the estate of Moses Beket Steele, deceased.

Notice of hearing petition for probate of will.

Notice is hereby given that the 12th day of April, 1913, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., of said day and the court room of said Court, at the court house in Solomonville, County of Graham, State of Arizona, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said deceased and for hearing the application of Vercy Allee Steele for the issuance to her of letters testamentary thereon.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court this 25th day of March, A. D. 1913.

R. W. SMITH,
Clerk.

Wanted

Property that is for sale or rent, to be listed with me, such as houses, for rent, lots, farm lands, improved and unimproved; all kinds of machinery. Address, J. A. HARALSON, Safford, Arizona, and I will call and see you. 5-tf

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DR. A. W. BITTING, Food Technologist,
U. S. Bureau of Chemistry.

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Formerly of Household Science Dept.,
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